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Collegiate Education Supporter,

I am writing to you to let you know about scholarships offered by the New Jersey Agribusiness Association. Our association is planning to award 2 scholarships to eligible and qualified students, one for \$2000 and another for \$1000. These scholarships will be awarded in November of 2007, to deserving students from New Jersey who meet the eligibility requirements listed on the scholarship application. We intend to make this award an annual event. Therefore, please keep this information on hand and if you don't see an application next year, call or write us to see the status of the award for 2008.

For this year, please distribute copies of the application to students who you feel would be eligible. Please note the due date of November 12, 2007.

We look forward to seeing applications from your students.

Sincerely,

Richard Grant Scholarship Chairman NJAA

Enclosure

New Jersey Agribusiness Association 2007 Annual Edward A. Platz Memorial Scholarship

2 Awards: One \$2,000 and one \$1000 Scholarship are to be awarded at the New Jersey Agribusiness Association Annual Meeting., scheduled for November 29th. Recipients are encouraged to receive award in person at the meeting to be held in Burlington County, however, this is not a considering factor for the award

Eligibility: The candidate must be enrolled at and in the academic rank of **sophomore, junior or senior** at any accredited 4 year college or university in the United States when receiving the scholarship. The candidate must be a New Jersey resident majoring in an agricultural subject area (ie. Plant Science, Animal Science, Agronomy, Entomology, etc.) or related field. The candidate must also intend to pursue a career in a field related to agriculture, with emphasis on production agriculture.

Procedures and Deadlines: The applicant must complete and submit the following:

- 1) Application form below
- 2) An official copy of transcripts from all colleges attended
- 3) One letter of recommendation (academic or non-academic)
- 4) A 1-2 page essay (typed) stating current goals for education and career

All of the information must be received by Monday, November 12, 2007. Letters of recommendation are to be sent by person writing the recommendation directly to the Scholarship Chairman. Do not send letters of recommendation with the application, transcripts, and essay.

Have persons writing letters of recommendation send the letters directly to the above address. All information must be received by **Monday, November 12, 2007** for the candidate to be eligible.

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